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"Well," replied the manager, "it's not a half bad idea. Father, mother, lover, daughter, all stuttering, will be novel!"

The author, furious, exclaimed: "They don't stammer! It is only my misfortune."

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It has been said that life is made up of three things—heredity, environment and the will. If the heredity and environment of the child are what they should be the will will choose the right and do it.

Little Boy Blue, come blow your horn;
It you don't it won't be blown.
The people won't flock
To buy your stock
If you never make it known.

So, Little Boy Blue, come blow your horn;
It's the proper business caper,
And the very best way
To make it pay
Is to blow it through this paper.

A Tribute to Mrs. Janes

The late Mrs. Julia Farr Janes had musical talents of a far higher order than have probably been understood by her friends and neighbors here.

Sprung from a musical family, she was almost from childhood a singer remarkable for accuracy and expression. In Buffalo, her native city, she sang solo parts in oratorio, in public, at fourteen years of age.

Later, in New York, she studied with the celebrated Rivarde, and sang for a time in some important churches. But her physical strength was unequal to the work, and her career as a singer was soon abandoned.

Her knowledge of music was immense. She was familiar with grand-operas, oratorios, comic-operas, songs, anthems, ballads, and dances, in great numbers, and was never at a loss for a selection adapted to any occasion.

Her musical memory was prodigious. She could play from memory the important parts of many operas and oratorios, and vast quantities of lighter music, as well as great numbers of hymn-tunes. Often she played, almost without cessation, without repetition, and wholly from memory, for hours. Irish jigs and songs, Scottish reels and dances and ballads, negro melodies, national hymns, inaddition to all the kinds of music mentioned above, seemed to flow from her fingers of themselves, and seldom did any one ask for a favorite popular song that she did not instantly play it. Did any one hum or whistle a single bar of a church hymn-tune, she could almost always give the name of the tune, hum it all through, and repeat the words belonging to it.

She knew but little, however, of the unmusical and debasing "rag time music," which is degrading the tastes of our people, and which is invading even the churches and driving out the grand and expressive old tunes which our grandfathers loved, and which are a precious possession of the churches. She often lifted up her testimony against trifling, silly, jingling music, and loved to think that she had done something to elevate the musical taste of the community in which she lived, and considered this a good service both to culture and to religion.

Mrs. Janes was possessed of the rare and useful power of transposing music at first sight. She could play a hymn or a simple accompaniment a tone or a half-tone higher or lower than it is written, to suit the voices of the choir, without a moment's hesitation or preparation.

Her intensely musical temperament gave her a rare power of interpretation and phrasing. She almost never failed to catch the meaning of a composer in a given composition, tofeel the emotion intended and so phrase the music as to give it complete expression.

When playing the hymns in church, she usually extemporized the interludes, and they were always suitable to the hymn and to the occasion.

Her perfect accuracy of musical ear made her a little intolerant of singing out of tune, and it is perhaps the only blemish in her musical work, that when her choir sang out of tune she could not help telling them so, and thus sometimes caused offence.

The remarkable quickness and correctness manifested by Mrs. Janes in musical sounds, extended to the sounds of foreign languages. She could sing songs in Italian, French, German and Spanish, with excellent pronunciation and enunciation, although her knowledge of these languages, excepting the French, was very slight.

A rare genius has been taken from us. Whither she has gone we must all soon follow. May the Providence that rules our lives help us to use our powers for the uplifting of our fellowmen, until our time shall come.

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Nick Dunphy left Monday for Los Angeles where he expects to get some good steady work.

Mrs. L. D. Johns, of Los Angeles, spent Sunday with Mrs. R. E. Dunphy. Mrs. Johns is an old Nebraska friend of Mrs. Dunphy.

Rev. G. E. Atkinson was in San Francisco this week attending the executive meeting of the State Board of the Home Missionary Society of California.

Miss C. B. Shepard of San Jose, spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. Matthew Peppard at the home of her parents.

A marriage license was issued by the county clerk last Wednesday, to Frank Mazzurca, aged 27, of Campbell, and Providenza Cuilla, aged 18, of San Jose.

Miss Mary Fablinger, who spent her vacation with her parents here, left on Monday morning for Turlock to resume her school duties there, beginning on Tuesday morning.

Dr. T. L. Blanchard has moved his office to the Gates buildidg, opposite the Odd Fellows' Hall. The rooms have been nicely fitted up and now make very nice office quarters.

Rev. G. E. Atkinson has been asked by the people of Meridian Corners to hold a meeting every Tuesday evening in the school house at that place. Mr. Atkinson has accepted the invitation.

The members of the Epworth League and their friends had a good time at the home of George Beaver last Friday evening. Much important business was attended to and a good social time was enjoyed.

Mrs. Matthew Peppard returned to her home in Cambria Wednesday, after several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Oliver. Her sister Hazel went with her to spend the remainder of the winter.

High School Notes

The pupils of the High school are studying hard after the vacation. The reports for the first semester will be given out in two weeks.

The Glee Club of girls has been organized and they have bought some music to practice with. Under the able direction of Prof. Lawrence, a fine glee is expected.

The school has been divided into two divisions for practice debates. In this matter interest is stimulated and practice received in debating in preparation for the spring series.

Among those who have visited us since vacation have been Miss Irene Setzler from Sunnyvale, Messrs. Earl Brown of Stanford, George Jaderquist, Warren Macy and Rob. Pendleton of the class of 1914, Berkeley.

Last Friday the boys' basketball team played the Christian Sunday school team of San Jose at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium at San Jose, and came away with the best part of a 24-18 score. The work of Clinton Crow, who is back again in school, adds materially toward the success of the team.

Twelfth Night Social

One of the most enjoyable socials of the winter was that given last Friday night by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church. It was the contest social given by the losing side in the late C. E. contest, but as it was "Twelfth Night," the whole evening program was planned with that in view. After a pleasant social time while the late ones were coming, all gathered in the large room in the rear of the church, where Mrs. Carter told the beautiful legend of "Twelfth Night" after which Miss Mamie Coupland came in dressed as the Lady of the legend and distributed her favors. Will Marshman and Winnie Fablinger were the ones choosen in the mystic way of the ancient legend, as King and Queen of Twelfth Night. The King and Queen were then seated on the royal throne and crowned with appropriate ceremonies. After which the King read his proclamation, and games and sports suitable for the occasion were in order. The two score or more endeavorers present marched before the throne and with profound bow and pledge of loyalty saluted their rulers with confetti. The refreshment committee provided a sumptuous banquet of all good things digestable, after which games were indulged in till the mystic hour when the lady of the legend disappears from human view till the next year. All pronounced the losing side ideal hosts, and the evening a splendid success in every way.

Masons Install Officers

One of the most notable social events of the season occurred Saturday night when the Masons and their wives, numbering 130 in all, gathered to install the officers of the Charity Lodge F. & A. M. No. 362.

The following officers were installed: George Whitney, Worshipful Master; L. D. Bohnett, S. W.; J. F. Duncan, J. W.; S. R. Wade, treasurer; James Fablinger, secretary; G. S. Robson, marshal; S. A. Moulton, chaplain; J. F. Carter, S. D.; G. E. Hyde, J. D.; W. H. Rubell, senior steward; G. L. Parso, junior steward; Charles Townsend, tyler.

After the installation which was conducted by District Inspector J. P. Jarman, of San Jose, assisted by J. McGeehee, also of San Jose, as Master of Ceremonies, a delightful program was rendered as follows; Piano solo, Prof. E. A. Powers; recitation, Vaudine Putman; song, R. R. Rucker; recitation, Miss Ada Collins; song, Dr. T. L. Blanchard; song, Miss Charlotte Davis; song, Miss Marion Copeland; piano solo, Miss Emma Beattie.

It happened that S. A. Moulton, the honored and well loved chaplain of the lodge, had just completed his fiftieth year as a Mason, and so a prominent feature of the evening's entertainment was his recitation of a poem, "Fifty Years in Masonry," and a long to be remembered address along the same line at the banquet table.

After the program the members of the lodge and their guests repaired to the banquet rooms down below and partook of a sumptuous repast of good things served by Mrs. Hoag. The meeting was closed by all present joining in singing "Blessed be the Tie that Binds." Everyone went away with the feeling that the affair was a pronounced success.

Grange Officers Installed

The Orchard City Grange installed the following officers last Tuesday evening:

W. Master, H. G. Keesling.
W. Overseer, J. E. Wiesendanger.
W. Lecturer, F. E. Newcomb.
W. Chaplin, Mrs. M. E. Wade.
W. Secretary, Mrs. Edna F. Keesling.
W. Treasurer, J. D. Sawyer.
W. Steward, H. V. Archibald.
W. Asst. Steward, Mr. McChesney.
W. Lady Asst. Steward, Mrs. McChesney.
Worthy Gate Keeper, A. N. Lants.
Goddess Ceres, Mrs. M. L. Waite.
Goddess Flora, Miss Emma Keesling.
Goddess Pomona, Mrs. Stella Parso.
Organist, Miss Mildred Keesling.

Installing Officer was Worthy State Master, E. T. Pettit, assisted by Mrs. J. E. Wiesendanger.

Congregational Church

The theme for the morning service will be "The Courage of Jesus." The evening theme will be "Root Life or Fruit Life," both of these carrying on the themes of last Sabbath's talks. C E. topic: "Lessons from Great Lives, Abraham." Being the first in a series running through the year. All are most cordially invited to worship with us.

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Political Equality Club Meets

The members of the Political Equality Club of Campbell met at the home of Mrs. E. J. Gard Friday afternoon, Jan. 6th. A goodly number were present and the afternoon was both entertaining and instructive.

The question of the improvement of the Park which was laid over at the last meeting in July was again taken up. A suggestion was made that each member of the Club root a given number of red geraniums and set them out on Arbor Day, if such should meet with the approval of the Improvement Club.

The question of placing proper receptacles at street corners for loose paper and rubbish was also considered and the Club voted to bring the matter before the Improvement Club at their next meeting.

The remainder of the afternoon was spent in instructive readings. The members then adjourned to meet at the residence of Mrs. M. Whitman on Feb. 3rd.

County Board of Farmers' Union Meets in Campbell

The County Board of Directors of the Farmers' Co-operative and Educational Union of America met last Friday afternoon at the Farmers' Union Packing Company office in Campbell. County President F. J. Curry presided. The following Directors were present: F. M. Righter, F. M. Coleman, P. B. Payne, and Secretary V. L. Lammers. Arrangements were made for the big county convention to be held in San Jose January 28. The morning session will be open to members, but the afternoon meetings will be open to the general public. J. W. Jeffries, State Horticultural Commissioner, will be one of the speakers of the convention. Officers for the year will be elected at that time.

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COAST HAPS AND MISHAPS OF THE WEEK

Recent Occurrences Along the Pacific Slope Related in Brief Items.

Paragraphs Selected With a View to Giving Busy Readers the News in a Nutshell.

Napa.—This city is now putting in a number of sewers.

Morgan Hill.—Citizens here are agitating the construction of a new water system.

Livermore.—This city recently ordered the purchase of a Success chemical engine, together with hose.

Lodi.—This city will amend specifications for its municipal electric light plant. The first bids exceeded the money available.

Sacramento.—The contract for erecting the new court house has been awarded to Lendgren & Co. of San Francisco, for $539,000.

Oceanside.—Twenty thousand dollars worth of water improvement bonds for par and a premium of $416.50, has been secured by the city trustees.

Coronado.—Bonds have been voted to the amount of $36,000 for a sewer system, including an outlet and extensions; also $10,000 for auto fire apparatus.

Martinez.—An option on a lot of water front property upon which they propose to establish a salt water fire protection system, as well as municipal piers, has been secured by the city.

Jackson.—The Middle Bar bridge over the the Mokelumne, four miles south of here, has fallen. The bridge, connecting Calaveras and Amador counties, had been condemned pending repairs.

Los Angeles.—Skeletons of a strange tribe of horned man-monkey pigmies are being exhumed from an ancient burying ground discovered near Jackrabbit Lodge, in the delta of Topango canyon, near Santa Monica.

Sacramento.—The Pullman Company has paid to the State of California upward of $75,000 taxes for 1907-1908 owing to various counties, for the collection of which Attorney-General U. S. Webb several months ago filed two suits in the Superior Court.

San Francisco.—Little Four-year-old Charlie Field, burned by falling into an open grate fire, died of his injuries at the children's hospital. The little chap was waiting for his mother to dress him and was standing by the fire in his night dress, when in some way he stumbled and fell in.

Berkeley.—Suffering from a mental and physical collapse, Richard Eaton, 16-year-old driver of the automobile that killed Frank Lothrop early Sunday morning, was led out of the inquest room of the local morgue and shortly afterward the coroner's jury charged him with manslughter.

Stockton.—That potatoes will sell for $3 or over per sack is the prediction of George Shima, the Japanese potato king, who is said to have on hand about 900,000 sacks. He also says that when potatoes are sold in small quantities before the coming spring they will command four cents a pound.

Portland, Or.—James Whalen, a saloonkeeper, was arrested in this city by a postoffice inspector upon information obtained by Chief Secret Service Operative Harry Moffitt, is believed to be a confederate of Orville Ceveness, alias E. L. Smith, alleged leader of a gang that robbed the Alaska steamship Humboldt of $58,000 in gold bars.

Modesto.—Stanislaus dairymen are elated over the fact that Stanislaus county leads the State in the production of butter. The report recently issued by the State Dairy Bureau shows that during last year Stanislaus produced 4,363,296 pounds of butter. Humboldt county, which led the State for many years, was second with 4,273,649 pounds, and Fresno county third.

Bakersfield.—Mike Leberich and Henry Cardwell, occupying a camp in the city's outskirts, were arrested by Constable Stroble on a charge of counterfeiting. Stroble seized molds for making half dollars and mortars, together with a large amount of pewter and white metal. Leberich and Cardwell were taken by surprise, having several newly made coins in their hands, it is said, when arrested.

WILL ISSUE CERTIFICATES AGAINST BULLION IN BARS

Save Nation 300,000 Annually Spent For Stamping Into Coins.

Washington.—Secretary McVeagh's plan to stop the coinage of gold and permit the Treasury to issue gold certificates against gold bullion and foreign gold promises to become a law at this session of Congress. Secretary McVeagh has written to Senator Aldrich suggesting such a bill, and Aldrich has asked him to appear before the Senate Finance Committee and explain the plan fully.

Under the present law the mints spend $300,000 to $400,000 a year stamping gold bullion into coin, which is then stacked away in vaults while gold certificated representing it circulate. At present, of the $980,000,000 of the gold coin in existence in the United States, $932,000,000 is stored in the Treasury vaults and probably never will be called for in that form. In 20 years it has cost $800,000 to recoin foreign gold in that way.

Secretary McVeagh's idea is to issue certificates against the gold bullion and against the foreign coin itself, as is now done in England, Germany and France. He points out that the enormous cost of coinage practically will be abolished, and the gold for export will be held in convenient form. The mints would continue coining enough gold for current demands.

Changes in Postoffices.

San Francisco.—New postoffices have been created in California at Seeley, Imperial county and at Keenbrook, San Bernardino county, according to word received from Washington by Postmaster Fisk. Offices have been discontinued at an Geronimo, Marin county, for which mail should be addressed to Lagunitas; at Plantation, Sonoma county, in favor of Sea View, and at Skyland, Santa Cruz county, in favor Wrights. Station No. 4 has been reestablished at 1501 Mission street, San Francisco, with clerk James Oberti in charge.

Robbers Hold Up Train.

Ogden.—Two masked robbers held up the Southern Pacific overland train No. 1 near Reese, nine miles west of her, killing a negro porter, wounding two white men and robbing more than 100 passengers of their money and jewelry. The robbers then made their escape. A few minutes after they left the scene of the train holdup the robbers met the two daughters of James Wymet of Warren, whom they also robbed at the point of rifles.

Laws Against White Slavery.

Sacramento.—Legislation calculated to break up the white slave traffic and to drive out of the State or into jail those men who live off the earnings of women of the underworld has been introduced in the Senate by Senator Edward I. Wolfe at the request of the California Club of San Francisco and also of the Ministerial Association.

Distinctive Dress Forbidden.

Lisbon.—A Government decree issued on the subject of property rights of the religious orders contains a clause forbidding monks and nuns of the orders to wear a distinctive dress, and prohibits the return to the country of expelled Jesuits until 20 years have elapsed following the expulsion.

Air Tank Explodes.

Pittsburg.—A compressed air tank, part of the brake equipment of a trolley car, exploded as the car was passing through the business section, smashing store windows and show cases, cutting and wounding four persons, one perhaps fatally, and holding up street traffic.

Blow Top Off Mountain.

Newark, N. J.—Two carloads of high explosives will be set off in a single blast January 15, when railroad engineers will attempt to blow off the top of Roseville mountain. The blast is expected to throw more than 1,000,000 tons of rock and earth into the valley.

Woman Suffrage to Be Considered.

Sacramento.—Senator Lewis of San Joaquin has introduced his limited women suffrage bill. It porports to compromise the suffrage dispute by allowing women to vote on matters concerning property and taxation in which they are personally interested.

For Board in Jail.

Fresno.—District Attorney Denver S. Church announced that steps would be taken within the next few days to compel the city of Fresno to pay into the county treasury a stipulated monthly sum for the keep of the city prisoners in the county jail.

Governor Tackles Constructive Reform Pledged People

Sacramento.—While twenty-one guns boomed out that a new Governor had been inaugurated in California, Hiram W. Johnson read his inaugural address to the members of the Senate and Assembly of the thiry-ninth session of the Caifornia Legislature. The oath of office was administered to the new executive by E. C. Hart, Justice of the District Court of Appeal.

In brief, Governor Johnson, in his inaugural address, says:

The first duty of mine is to eliminate every private interest in the government. Efficiency cannot be obtained where any public servant divides his interest between the public service and a private interest.

I shall look to the Legislature to aid me to eliminate special interests from the government. It matters not how powerful the individual may be, nor how much wealth and influence there may be behind him, if he be the representative of Southern Pacific politics, I shall attack him the more readily because of his power and his influence.

I prefer, as less dangerous to society, the political thug of the water front to the smugly respectable individual in broadcloth, who, from ambush, employs and uses that thug for his selfish political gain.

I most strongly urge the adoption of the initiative, the referendum and the recall. The recall should apply with equal force to an administrative or a judicial officer. It has been suggested that by immediate legislation you can make the recall applicable to counties without the necessity of constitutional amendment.

The people are fortunate now in having a Railroad Commission of ability, integrity, energy and courage. I recommend that you give the commission the amplest power that can be conferred upon it.

I suggest an appropriation of at least $75,000, that the commission may determine the physical value of the transportation companies of the State justly and fairly, and upon the values thus determined, may fix the railroad rates.

I suggest that the present primary law be amended so that there be a State-wide advisory vote upon United States Senators.

The most advanced thought in the nation has reached the conclusion that we can best avoid blind voting by a short ballot. If my suggestions are carried out the State ballot would consist of a Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Comptroller, members of the judiciary and Legislature.

I call your attention to the restoration of the Australian ballot in its original form as one of the duties that devolves upon us because of party pledges.

It is just and proper that counties should have home rule along the lines recommended by State Comptroller Nye.

It is the design of the present administration to put in force the merit system, and to continue that system by virtue of the civil service enactment.

A rational and equitable code of procedure for water conservation should be adopted.

Humanity requires that we should provide a reformatory for first offenders.

A just and adequate employers' liability law is needed.

I bespeak, not as Republicans or Democrats, but as representatives of all the people, for the advancement and progress and righteousness and uplift of all California.

Subjects of National Interest Now Under Discussion

Washington.—A year ago a representative of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company protested earnestly before the Senate Interoceanic Canals Committee that there was not enough freight business on the Panama route to support one steamship line on the Pacific side. Now, with two lines in operation, the Canal Commission is hard pressed to provide facilities at both Panama and Colon to handle the traffic. The existing docks are to be carried hundreds of feet further out on the Colon side, and heavy steel cranes, with concrete floors fitted to the docks at Balboa, on the Pacific side. The requirements have become so great that the Commission has been forced to make these improvements at once, notwithstanding that it is only a matter of a few years when the canal will be open and the breaking of cargoes for transhipment will no longer be necessary. The canal authorities explain that the large increase of freight has resulted from the ending of a monopoly on the Pacific side by the establishment of the Atlantic and Pacific Steamship line. Not only does the new company bring much freight, but it has also been the cause of an improvement in the service of the Pacific Mail line.

A fact of great significance is the statement that freight is now being transported more rapidly in some instances by the Panama route than by the railroads across the continent, the transit time being from 23 to 30 days.

"The African hunting trip as organized and carried out by the Smithsonian Institution via Roosevelt," is the subject of the latest proposed congressional investigation. The suggestion was received here by Representative Rainey of Illinois from a citizen of a Georgia town, who referred to such an inqury as a "public service," and to the Smithsonian Institution as a "trash heap institution." Mr. Rainey is the Democrat who recently introduced a resolution to inquire into the manner in which Roosevelt obtained transportation and supplies on his trips about the country while he was President. The Georgian declares that such an inquiry would "show waste, extravagance and squandering of public money."

Not Eligible to Citizenship Can Not Own Property

Sacramento.—A bill that threatens to open the slumbering Japanese question was introduced in the Senate by Senator Sanford of Ukiah. The measure is termed an alien land bill, and provides for the exclusion from ownership or lease of agricultural lands any alien not eligible to become a citizen of the United States.

"I have studied this subject for many years," said Sanford. "There are 200,000 acres of the best agricultural lands in California owned by aliens who cannot be assimilated, practically all Japanese and Chinese. These aliens should not be permitted to get a foothold, for with the same ratio of growth that they now have they will control the agricultural resources of California in ten years. The race question will also be a factor, and compared with situation in California, the negro question in the South is simple.

"Farmers of the State, facing disaster in competition with Oriental gardeners, orchardists and farmers, who live on almost nothing, are demanding remedial legislation. This legislation already has been adopted in Oklahoma, Illinois, Iowa, Texas and Minnesota. Several interests in the State are back of the bill, notably the farmers and the Asiatic Exclusion League."

Now You See 'em and Now You Don't, Mail Pouches Vanish

San Francisco.—That the most daring band of mail robbers that ever operated in any part of this country are looting the outgoing registered mail pouches from this city was confirmd when a sack containing registered mail was taken from under the very eyes of the postal guard on an Oakland ferryboat last Thursday evening. The pouch was stolen under the precise conditions under which three others were seized within the past week.

Despite the extra precautions taken by the Federal authorities to protect the registered mail leaving here for Oakland trains, the robbers got away with a sack containing 23 pieces of first-class mail consigned to the Ashland San Francisco R. P. C.

That the theft of registered pouches all occurred on the ferryboat while heading for Oakland is a certainty, as in each instance the sacks were checked up and tallied before being loaded on the trucks at the ferry, and in each instance the loss was discovered when the mail was checked before loading it on the trains for its destination.

TWENTY-TWO INDICTMENTS IN TIMES EXPLOSION CASE

Nothing Definite Given Out by Grand Jury After Long Investigation.

Los Angeles.—Having disposed of the Times explosion cases with the return of 22 indictments reported, the Grand Jury, which spent more than two months in the investgation of that matter, turned to an inquiry into another alleged dynamite plot, which resulted in the partial destruction of the Llewellyn Iron Works plant in this city last Christmas morning.

In the meantime no warrants have been placed in the hands of the Sheriff for the arrest of those named in the true bills returned and charged with responsibility for the death of the Time employes killed by the explosion on the morning of October 1st. This fact gives additional ground for the belief that not more than three or four men were indicted, and that these are the suspects who disappeared shortly after the Times plant was destroyed.

Samuel Brown, head of the detective bureau of the District Attorney's office, has sent out descriptions of these suspects to all parts of the world, with the information that a reward of $250,00 has been offered by the county for their capture. So far as known nothing definite has been learned of the whereabouts of the suspected criminals.

Session Will Hold Until April.

Sacramento.—That the present Legislature will be one of the longest ever held, is believed probable, not only because of the mass of legislation that has been proposed, but because of the fact that the census figures for the use of the reapportionment and redistricting committee will not be available for about 60 days. The information that the figures will be late has been received from Congressman Julius Kahn. If the figures do not arrive until the middle of March. It is considered doubtful if the session will be ended until well into April.

Fire in New York's Chinatown.

New York.—Three large tenements in the heart of Chinatown were wrecked by fire. One Chinaman is supposed to be dead. Two were injured by jumping from windows. About 350 Chinamen and 25 white women were in the house. It was the middle of the night for these people, who never see the sun except possibly at sunrise. Ten minutes after the alarm the fire escapes were a mass of struggling Chinese and women.

Hornet Was Loaded.

Puerto Barrios, Honduras.—Truxillo has been captured by the revolutionary gunboat Hornet. The garrison in Huatan surrendered without firing a shot, and the government troops joined the revolutionists. After the Hornet left New Orleans it picked up 100 men, 1000 rifles, two machine guns and a large quantity of ammunition.

Anarchists in London.

London.—Five supposed bombs were discovered in the debris of the house in Sydney street where two outlaws were shot or burned to death during the police attempt to capture them. Important documents which it is hoped will clear the mystery of the identity of the anarchists also were unearthed.

Army to Be Vaccinated.

Washington.—So convincing has been experiments made by army surgeons with typhoid virus as a preventatve against typhoid fever that the chief of staff, Major-General Wood, has issued a general order looking to the vaccination of the entire army, if possible, with this viris.

Natural Gas in Omaha.

Omaha.—A telegram from Upton, Wyo., about 50 miles southwest of Lead, S. D., says there is great excitement there over the striking of a strong flow of natural gas in a well sunk by C. L. Young inside the city limits. Other wells will be sunk at once.

Preferred Death to Separation.

Los Angeles.—Preferring death to separation from the 18-months-old baby of her dead sister, Mrs. Florence Blake, 35, wife of J. L. Blake, a Southern Pacific employe, retired with the child cuddled in her arms, drank arsenic and died several hours later.

Steps in Front of Train.

San Jose.—As two men were walking on one of the railroad tracks between Santa Clara and this city they stepped from one track to another, not seeing a train behind them. Joseph Leal was instantly killed, but the other man escaped.

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Dread of Snakes Is Almost Universal and Must Date Back to the Cradle of the Race.

Not for five and probably not for 10,000 years has any ancestor of ours lived in a country or zone which was inhabited by a single dangerous, venemous serpent or a snake of any kind big enough to kill a jack-rabbit, yet the dread of serpents is as vivid as it was in the days of the Garden of Eden, says Dr. Woods Hutchinson, in an article on the dread of cats, snakes and mice in Success Magazine. Their baleful, unwinking eyes, their strangling coils, the ghastly sinuousness of their movements, the noiselessness of their approach, the agony and deadliness of their sting, throb and echo like a Wagnerian leit-motif through all literature and legend; are bitten and branded into our deepest consciousness as if by fire. An imitation of their hiss has become the expression of our deepest contempt and loathing. A hiss is understood in every language under heaven, and every three-year-old, to express derision and dislike, thrusts out his little pink tongue and with it imitates the flickering movements of the serpent's tongue.

The aversion to snakes has no appreciable present utility, for the risk of any modern American or European being killed by snake-bite, even in the most rattlesnake-infested and prohibition-ridden community, is about one-thirty-fifth that of death by lightning stroke. It must date back to at least the cradle of the race in the tropics, but even here its distribution is a singular one. Of all animals above the size of a squirrel, one two display it in any vivid or paralyzing form. It is an echo of the days when our common ancestor, "tailed, covered with hair and probably arboreal in its habits," swung and rollicked in the tree tops.

PRIDE OF THE CAVALRY BANDS

Horse That Bears the Kettle Drums Must Be Handsome, Dignified and Especially Well Trained.

In certain armies of the world there are grades of honor among the horses, as well as among the men. The proudest and most dignified of all the horses of the army is the animal that fills the position of drum horse in the regimental band. In some armies cavalry bands are mounted, and the most honorable position in all the band is that of the bearer of the kettle drums. The horse is selected for his distinguished appearance. He is often piebald, although sometimes pure white, but whatever his color his appearance must be consistent with the conspicuous position he has to fill.

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"Walk more," retorted the passenger, "eat less, or bust!"

And by the time the fat conductor had recovered the train had left the station.

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Beheading.

Chinese officials have been accustomed to methods which will make it hard for the new railways over there to carry out a policy of refusing passes to persons of governmental influence.—Washington Star.

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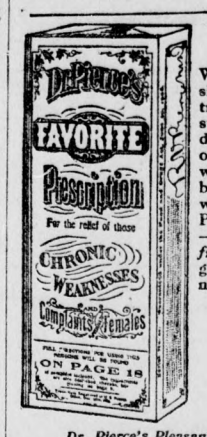

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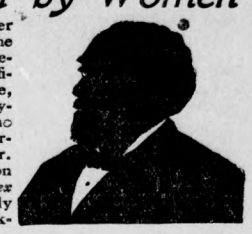

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Charles A. Beardsley, the First Graduate of C. U. H. S., An Able Lawyer

Friends who have known Charles A. Beardsley since his boyhood days in Campbell, and who recall him as the first graduate of Campbell Union High school, will be interested to hear of his success in his chosen field of work,

The Oakland Tribune of Saturday, Jan. 7th, announces the appointment of "Charles A. Beardsley, a young Oakland attorney who has won a name for himself among Oakland lawyers for his fine attainments," to the position of Deputy City Attorney of Oakland.

The Tribune further says: "Deputy City Attorney Beardsley is recognized by his associates, and by juries in Oakland, as a young man of the highest type of law students. He is a hard and conscientious worker, of brilliant intellectual attainments and of sterling character. The appointee is now associated with the law firm of Fitzgerald & Abbott. He is a graduate of Stanford University and has lived in Oakland since 1908. He was admitted to the bar in California in 1907.

"'In making this appointment,' said City Attorney Woolner this morning, 'I feel that I am placing in the employ of the City a man of unusual attainments and of splendid character. He has won the highest regard and friendship of his associates, and is a young man who will go far in his profession. The best is not too much to say in praise of him.'"

LIVELY LOS ALTOS

The coming spring promises to be a very busy one for Los Altos. All signs point to a tremendous growth in this popular little city near the western foothills. Mr. Walter A. Clark, General Agent for the Los Altos townsite has furnished a few facts about Los Altos that are exceedingly interesting. To date 33 residences, ranging in value from $2,000 to $10,000 each have been erected at a cost of $110,000; business buildings have been erected at a cost of $20,000, making a total of building improvements of $130,000. In addition to this large expenditure must be added the cost of sidewalks and curbs $25,000, streets and roads $5,000, water works $30,000, making a grand total of $190,000.

Work planned for this year includes $30,000 for a complete sewer system, $10,000 for additional walks and curbs, $10,000 for extension of water system, and for new buildings for 1911 an estimate of $150,000 can be safely made, making a grand total of $200,000 cash to be expended within the next 12 months.

Among the buildings to be immediately erected is a two-story business block on the corner of First and Main streets opposite the station to cost $7,000. This building will be 50 by 80 feet, containing two stores on the ground floor and 14 rooms above, the latter to be used for hotel purposes. On February 1st the new restaurant will be open. The town census taken January 1st shows a population of 159, 33 residences, 7 business places, 20 commuters from Los Altos to San Francisco, 10 to San Jose and 10 to Palo Alto; 38 electric trains and 12 steam trains each day. There is a wonderful chance for investment in Los Altos and it would be well to send for an illustrated pamphlet and other information. A line to Walter A. Clark, Los Altos, will bring it.

State Controller's Biennial Report

The Press Office just received a copy of the biennial report of the State Controller, A. B. Nye, for the sixtieth fiscal year, ending June 30, 1909, and the sixty-first fiscal year ending June 30, 1910.

The table of contents contains:
Receipts and Disbursements.
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Estimates of Expenditures for Sixty-third and sixty-fourth Fiscal Years.
Schedule of State Property.
Detailed Statement of Contingent Expenditures of Controller's Office.

State University Arranges Athletic Meet for High Schools

High schools throughout the State, and a number in Oregon and Washington, have accepted the invitation of the University of California to compete in the first Pacific Coast Interscholastic Meet, to be held on the campus April 28 and 29. The meet, to which the Campbell Union High school, among others in this vicinity, has been invited, promises to become the most important event on the coast in the realm of high school track athletics. It will be an annual event. Special preparations have been made by the Big "C" Society of the university for the entertainment and housing of all the visiting athletes during their entire stay at Berkeley. The fraternities and house clubs have offered their houses for this purpose, and a special committee will be appointed by the associated students to see that the high school men are entertained while they are at the University.

Teams will be limited to fifteen men, and P. A. A. registration will be required. The meet will be a two-day affair, the heats taking place on Friday, April 26, and the final events on Saturday. All of the usual track events will be on the programme, with a five man relay. The javelin throw will probably be introduced. Medals will be given to all taking places. In addition, several handsome cups will be awarded, a large trophy to the school winning the field day, as well as similar trophies for individual winners.

Interesting Church History

A publication is just off the press which bears an interest to a large number of the people of San Francisco and the State. The little volume carries the rather dry title of "Minutes of the Northern California Congregational Conference", but hid away in the statistical tables and reports we find that this is the oldest Protestant denomination in the State, the Rev. T. Dwight Hunt having come here from Hawaii in 1849. The First Congregational Church, of which the late Dr. Adams was pastor, was founded by Dr. Hunt. Other churches sprang up through the years until at the Annual Meeting of that portion of the Congregational Church which lies north of Tehachapi, there were reported about 140 congregations, while Southern California has an even hundred.

These churches are scattered all the way from Little Shasta, near the Oregon line, to Porterville, down Tehachapi way. There have been meetings held of the organized denomination for 54 years with no interruption, the meeting in October of this year having convened at Porterville.

The Congregationalists maintain denominational headquarters at the Mechanics Building, San Francisco, where the Home and Foreign Missionary work, the Church Building Society, Sunday School Secretaries, etc., have their offices for the promotion of all branches of these Church activities. The Minutes were compiled by the Registrar, the Rev. Charles C. Champlin, who is also pastor of Park Congregational Church, San Francisco, and the following are a few facts culled from the report. Six new churches were formed during the year. Four home missionary churches have come to self-support. The denomination finds itself equally at home in the mountains and lumber camps as in the crowded cities or the great agricultural valleys of our State. The California Home Missionary Society (Congregational) has aided 51 churches in 1910.

The oldest Congregational minister in point of service is Dr. Willey, of Berkeley, founder of the University of California. Dr. Kellogg, a former president of the University of California, was a Congregational Home Missionary. Dr. Rowell, for half a century pastor of the Seamen's Church, and father of Librarian Rowell of the University of California, although over ninety years old, is one of the spryest ministers, and has never missed an Annual Conference in 54 years.

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ASKED AN EXPLANATION.

The Colonel Was Willing and Promptly Gave the Information.

In "Something of Men I Have Known" the author, Adlai E. Stevenson, has this story of a banquet attended by John Allen, member of congress from Mississippi, and the Hon. John R. Fellows: "Near the close Allen said: 'There is one thing I would like to have Colonel Fellows explain. He was captured the first year of the war and never exchanged, but held as a prisoner by the Federals until the war was over. I was taken prisoner five times and always promptly exchanged. I would like Colonel Fellows to explain how it was that he was kept in a place of safety while I was always at the front?' When the applause which followed had subsided Colonel Fellows arose and said:

"'I am grateful to my friend from Mississippi for giving me an opportunity to explain that part of my military record which I apprehend has never been sufficiently clear. It is true I was taken prisoner the first year of the war, and the enemy, well knowing the danger of my being at large, persistently refused to release me until peace was restored. Had I been promptly exchanged the result of the war might have been different! But why it was that my friend from Mississippi was so repeatedly and promptly exchanged is a question that until yesterday I had never been able to understand.

"'It has given me deep concern. I have pondered over it during the silent watches of the night. Yesterday, however, my mind was completely set at rest upon that question by reading the correspondence—to be found in volume 748, page 421, of the "Record of the War of the Rebellion"—between President Lincoln and President Davis relating to the exchange of Private John Allen of Company G, Fourteenth Mississippi volunteers. The correspondence covers many pages of this valuable publication, but I will read only the closing communication.'

"And while John, with a new supply of terrapin before him, was listening intently Fellows, carefully adjusting his eyeglasses and taking a letter from his pocket, continued: 'The letter I will read from President Lincoln concluded the correspondence and is as follows: "Dear Jeff—With this I return you Private John Allen of Company G, Fourteenth Mississippi. I require no prisoner in exchange. The Lord's truth is, Jeff, I had rather fight John than feed him!"'"

The Bore and the Boarders.

A bore is a person who speaks when you want him to listen, and such a person was Professor Benjamin Praxiteles Brown, autocrat of the Quentin Durward boarding house. Through two whole courses the band of hungry boarders had lent him their unwilling ears as he held forth upon spiritualism and spookism and Julia and her bureaucracy.

"In fact," boomed big Ben, "the study of the occult sciences interests me greatly. I love to explore the dark depths of the mysterious, to delve into the regions of the unknown, to fathom, as it were, the unfathomable and"—

"May I help you to some hash, professor?" interrupted the landlady.

And no wonder the boarders smiled.

Very Fishy.

She was a fisherman's daughter, she wore her hair in a net, and she preferred love in a piscatorial way.

"My love," he whispered, "you hold first 'place' in my heart! Although I 'flounder' about in expressing myself, my 'sole' wish is that you will save me from becoming a 'crabbed' old bachelor. I shall stick to you closer than a limpet,' from you a 'wink'll' be the road to guide me. Together we will 'skate' over life's 'rocks,' and when I look at your hand beside me I shall say to myself, 'Fortune was mine when I put "herring" there!'"

And then the lady dropped her eyes in sweet confusion and murmured:

"Pass the salt!"—London Scraps.

Human Lives.

There is a story of an old time king who commanded that a palace be built for him to the sound of music. And richly was his wisdom rewarded, for when the palace was done it was found to be the most perfectly constructed and beautiful in the world. The builders had unconsciously wrought the music into their work and made it a finer kind of work than had been known before. So it is with human lives. They are infinitely better built when the builders have something to inspire and uplift them, something to kindle mind and soul and lift them above petty and commonplace thoughts and feelings.—Selected.

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